





# Friday Night Insight Programs Southeast Alaska Discovery Center

Every Friday evening from 7 to 8 PM the Southeast Alaska Discovery Center at 50 Main Street presents free audiovisual and speaker programs in the theater. We invite you to join us for education and entertainment about Alaska's ecosystems, wildlife, natural resources, public lands and native cultures.

# **January 2007 Programs**

### January 5: "Commercial Dive Fisheries in Southeast Alaska"

Scott Walker will discuss commercial fisheries management and assessment of sea cucumbers, geoducks, and red sea urchins. Scott has been with the Alaska Department of Fish and Game for 17 years. He manages commercial shellfish fisheries and conducts shellfish biomass assessment surveys in Southeast Alaska.

# January 12: "Safe Use of Chainsaws"

Tim Piazza will demonstrate and discuss safe chainsaw practices in a variety of situations. He is a Forest Service certified instructor with several fall and buck qualifications.

### January 18 (Thursday): "Relating Art to the Environment in Southeast Alaska"

Carla Potter will speak about how the environment and culture of Southeast Alaska influence her art. Carla is a well known Alaskan ceramic artist.

#### January 19: "Experiences of Glacier Bay National Park"

Pat Schmidt will share pictures and impressions of her summer as Interpretive Park Ranger at Glacier Bay National Park. She will include a discussion of the history of the park in terms of glacial movement, people, animals, and current interpretive programs.

## January 26: "Forest Service Landscape Architecture"

Come discover the scenic variety classes of the Tongass National Forest with Matt Boisseau. Matt holds a Masters of Landscape Architecture and has experience in both private and public sectors.



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